and (b) An advance Plan assistance of Rs. 45 crores and Grant-in-aid of Rs. 15 crores under Border Area Development was provided to Indira Gandhi Nahar Project Rajasthan during the period 1985 —88. As this is only an additionality it is not possible to identify the benefits separately.

Cases of freedom fighters' pension from Rajasthan

45. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of pending pension cases of freedom fighters from Rajasthan, district-wise; and

(b) what steps have been taken or are proposed to be taken to dispose of the pending cases without further delay?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI CHINTAMANI PANIGRAHI): (a) and (b) As a result of special drive conducted during July-August, 1986, all pending cases from Rajasthan excepting those relating to participation in Arya Samaj Movement in Hyderabad were disposed of and pension sanctioned where acceptable evidence was produced by the applicants. No separate list District-wise in this regard is being maintained. 26 cases of participation in Arya Samaj Movemebnt are pending at present. A Non-Official Screening Committee has been set up to scrutinise such cases.

Amount deposited with loans advanced by nationalised banks in Rajasthan

46. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state what are the details regarding the amounts deposited with and loans advanced by the nationalised banks in Rajasthan during the last three years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO): The aggregate deposits and gross bank credit of 28 Public Sector Banks in the State of Rajasthan as at the end of December 1984, December, 1985 and December, 1986 are as under:—

(Amount in Rs.Crores)

Year ended	Deposits	credit
Decemher, 1984 .	1563	1088
December, 1985 .	1878	1240
December, 1986 .	2226	1445

Agricultural loans given by the Banks

47. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the amount of agricultural loans granted by the nationalised banks in Rajasthan during the last three years;

(b) whether Government have exempted interest payment on agricultural losses in view of the drought conditions in Rajasthan;

(c) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(d) if not what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO): (a) Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has reported that the outstanding agricultural advances of the Public Sector Banks in Rajasthan during the last 3 years were as under:

Year	Outstanding Agricultural advances (Rs. in crores)
June 1984 . . .	302
June 1985 . . .	353
June 1986 . . .	417
(Latest available)	